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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A casket comprising:

a casket shell;

a casket lid close able upon said shell; and

deployable structure, operably associated with at least one of said shell and said lid, and integrally formed therewith, which, when deployed, defines a memorial surface adapted to have placed thereon items of memorialization for display, said deployable structure configured and arranged for display only of said items and not for storage of said items;

said structure being so configured and arranged such that the items of memorialization must be removed therefrom when said structure is not deployed.

2. (Original) The casket of claim 1 wherein said deployable structure is operably associated with said shell.

3. (Canceled)

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4. (Canceled)

5. (Canceled)

6. (Canceled)

7. (Canceled)

8. (Canceled)

9. (Currently Amended) The casket of claim 2 wherein said [shell] deployable structure includes a shelf pivotally mounted [thereto] to said shell at a forward side thereof and at an upper edge thereof, said shelf adapted to be deployed by first opening said lid, pivoting said shelf out of said shell and then closing said lid.

10. (Currently Amended) The casket of claim 2 wherein said [shell] deployable structure includes a shelf pivotally mounted [thereto] to said shell at a foot end thereof and at an upper edge thereof, said shelf adapted to be deployed by first opening said lid, pivoting said shelf out of said shell and then closing said lid.

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11. (Canceled)

12. (Canceled)

13. (Canceled)

14. (Canceled)

15. (Canceled)

16. (Currently Amended) The casket of claim 2 wherein said [shell]
deployable structure includes a shelf pivotally mounted to a foot end wall [thereof] of said
shell along an upper edge [of said shelf] thereof, said shelf adapted to be deployed by
pivoting said shelf away from said foot end wall of said shell.

17. (Canceled)

18. (Canceled)

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19. (Canceled)

20. (Canceled)

21. (Canceled)

22. (Canceled)

23. (Canceled)

24. (Canceled)

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26. (Canceled)

27. (Canceled)

28. (Canceled)